

# Washington Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System

## 2004 Tobacco Survey Results

### *Hispanic / Latino*

#### What is your age?

n = 708

18 - 34	58.0%	(± 4.8%)
35 - 54	35.3	(± 4.7)
55 - 74	5.1	(± 1.7)
75+	1.6	(± 0.9)

#### Gender

n = 708

Male	50.8%	(± 5.0%)
Female	49.2	(± 5.0)

#### Which one of these groups would you say best represents your race...

n = 661

White	29.6%	(± 4.6%)
Black or African American	0.8	(± 0.6)
Asian	2.6	(± 2.5)
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0.3	(± 0.4)
American Indian, Alaska Native	3.4	(± 1.9)
Other race	62.4	(± 5.1)
No preferred race	0.9	(± 1.0)

#### Are you Hispanic or Latino/Latina?

n = 708

Yes	100.0%	(± 0.0%)
No	0.0	(± 0.0)

#### Marital status

n = 706

Married	49.2%	(± 5.0%)
Divorced	5.7	(± 2.5)
Widowed	1.6	(± 0.8)
Separated	4.6	(± 1.9)
Never been married	25.7	(± 4.7)
Or a member of an unmarried couple	13.2	(± 3.8)

#### How many children less than 18 years of age live in your household?

n = 706

None	34.7%	(± 4.9%)
1	19.0	(± 4.1)
2	24.9	(± 4.4)
3 or more	21.3	(± 3.8)

#### What is the highest grade or year of school you completed?

n = 706

Some high school or less	49.0%	(± 5.0%)
High school graduate or GED	23.4	(± 4.6)
Some college or technical school	15.6	(± 3.2)
College graduate or more	12.0	(± 3.1)

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<b>Are you currently. . .</b>	n = 706	
Employed for wages	60.8%	(± 4.8%)
Self-employed	3.6	(± 1.6)
Out of work	9.5	(± 2.8)
Homemaker	11.9	(± 2.7)
Student	8.4	(± 3.3)
Retired	3.2	(± 1.4)
Or unable to work	2.6	(± 1.4)

<b>Annual household income from all sources</b>	n = 608	
Less than \$20,000	41.0%	(± 5.5%)
\$20,000 to less than \$50,000	42.9	(± 5.4)
\$50,000 or more	16.1	(± 4.0)

<b>Have you smoked at least 100 cigarettes in your entire life?</b>	n = 1124	
Yes	31.8%	(± 3.7%)
No	68.2	(± 3.7)

<b><i>Among those that have smoked at least 100 cigarettes in their entire life:</i></b>		
<b>Do you now smoke cigarettes everyday, some days, or not at all?</b>	n = 338	
Everyday	30.9%	(± 6.8%)
Some days	23.2	(± 6.0)
Not at all	45.9	(± 7.1)

<b><i>Among current smokers:</i></b>		
<b>During the past 12 months, have you stopped smoking for 1 day or longer because you were trying to quit smoking?</b>	n = 170	
Yes	68.8%	(± 9.0%)
No	31.2	(± 9.0)

<b>Current cigarette smoking prevalence:</b>	n = 1123	
(every day or some day smokers among the whole population)	17.2%	(± 3.1%)

<b><i>Among those that have smoked at least 100 cigarettes:</i></b>		
<b>Did you smoke any cigarettes during the past 30 days?</b>	n = 187	
Yes	63.1%	(± 9.9%)
No	36.9	(± 9.9)

<b><i>Among those that have smoked in the past 30 days:</i></b>		
<b>On how many days of the past 30 days did you smoke cigarettes?</b>	n = 99	
Less than 30 days	44.2%	(± 13.3%)
30 days	55.8	(± 13.3)

<b><i>Among those that have smoked in the past 30 days:</i></b>		
<b>On average, about how many cigarettes per day do you smoke, on the days that you do smoke?</b>	n = 104	
Average:	8.6	(± 2.6)

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<b>Have you ever tried using smokeless tobacco, like chew, dip or snuff?</b>	n = 686	
Yes	7.3%	(± 2.6%)
No	92.7	(± 2.6)

***Among those that have ever tried smokeless tobacco:***

<b>On how many of the past 30 days did you use smokeless tobacco products?</b>	n = 42	
None	*	*
Less than 30 days	*	*
30 days	*	*

<b>Current smokeless tobacco prevalence:</b>	n = 685	
(any use in past 30 days among the whole population)	1.6%	(± 1.0%)

<b>In the past month, have you smoked a cigar, even just a puff?</b>	n = 686	
Yes	6.4%	(± 2.6%)
No	93.6	(± 2.6)

<b>Current tobacco use (all types of tobacco)</b>	n = 686	
Current daily tobacco user	22.6%	(± 4.6%)
Current non-tobacco user	77.4	(± 4.6)

***Among former smokers:***

<b>About how long has it been since you last smoked cigarettes regularly, that is, daily?</b>	n = 82	
Within the past month (less than 1 month ago)	0.7%	(± 1.4%)
Within the past 3 months (1-3 months ago)	9.2	(± 9.1)
Within the past 6 months (3-6 months ago)	4.9	(± 7.6)
Within the past year (6-12 months ago)	3.3	(± 3.9)
Within the past 5 years (1-5 years ago)	25.6	(± 18.1)
Within the past 15 years (5-15 years ago)	25.4	(± 12.6)
More than 15 years ago	26.1	(± 12.7)
Never used regularly	4.7	(± 7.9)

***Among former smokers:***

<b>When you last smoked cigarettes regularly, on average, how many days per month did you smoke?</b>	n = 81	
Average:	29.4	(± 3.3)

***Among former smokers:***

<b>When you last smoked cigarettes regularly, on average, how many cigarettes did you smoke per day?</b>	n = 81	
Average:	17.0	(± 4.3)

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***Among never smokers less than 30 years old:***

<b>Do you think that you will smoke a cigarette anytime during the next year?</b>	n = 113	
Definitely yes	8.4%	N/A
Probably yes	4.8	N/A
Probably no	8.7	N/A
Definitely no	78.0	N/A

***Among never smokers less than 30 years old:***

<b>If you or your best friends offered you a cigarette, would you smoke it?</b>	n = 114	
Definitely yes	2.4%	N/A
Probably yes	3.4	N/A
Probably no	4.4	N/A
Definitely no	89.9	N/A

***Among current tobacco users:***

<b>About how much do you usually spend on tobacco products every week?</b>	n = 122	
Less than \$25	86.8%	( $\pm 7.1\%$ )
At least \$25 but less than \$55	11.6	( $\pm 6.7$ )
More than \$55	1.7	( $\pm 2.3$ )

***Among current tobacco users:***

<b>In the past month, did you buy tobacco on a Native American reservation?</b>	n = 124	
Yes	15.9%	( $\pm 8.6\%$ )
No	84.1	( $\pm 8.6$ )

***Among current tobacco users:***

<b>In the past month, did you buy tobacco from the Internet?</b>	n = 124	
Yes	0.8%	( $\pm 1.2\%$ )
No	99.2	( $\pm 1.2$ )

***Among current tobacco users:***

<b>During the past month, did you buy tobacco outside the state to save money - not just because you were traveling?</b>	n = 124	
Yes	5.6%	( $\pm 9.3\%$ )
No	94.4	( $\pm 9.3$ )

***Among current/former tobacco users:***

<b>People close to me are/were upset by my using tobacco.</b>	n = 184	
Strongly agree	49.9%	( $\pm 10.2\%$ )
Somewhat agree	20.9	( $\pm 7.2$ )
Somewhat disagree	6.5	( $\pm 3.7$ )
Strongly disagree	22.7	( $\pm 9.1$ )

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***Among current/former tobacco users:***

**When was the last time a DOCTOR or other healthcare provider advised you to quit, if ever?** n = 196

Within the past year (1-12 months)	24.7%	(± 8.0%)
Within the past three years (1-3 years)	8.0	(± 4.7)
3 or more years ago	16.5	(± 8.5)
They never advised me to quit	50.8	(± 9.9)

***Among current/former tobacco users:***

**When was the last time a DENTIST advised you to quit, if ever?** n = 199

Within the past year (1-12 months)	10.5%	(± 4.9%)
Within the past three years (1-3 years)	6.6	(± 7.0)
3 or more years ago	13.4	(± 8.0)
They never advised me to quit	69.5	(± 9.8)

***Among current/former tobacco users:***

**When was the last time a PHARMACIST advised you to quit, if ever?** n = 200

Within the past year (1-12 months)	5.3%	(± 4.1%)
Within the past three years (1-3 years)	0.9	(± 1.6)
3 or more years ago	3.8	(± 3.6)
They never advised me to quit	90.0	(± 5.6)

***Among those advised to quit:***

**Did the health care professional who advised to quit offer any help, or refer you to a source of help to quit tobacco use?** n = 102

Yes	43.0%	(± 13.8%)
No	57.0	(± 13.8)

**What type of health coverage do you use to pay for most of your medical care? Is it coverage through. . .** n = 406

Your employer	43.3%	(± 6.6%)
Someone else's employer	16.1	(± 4.8)
A plan that you or someone buys on your own	12.5	(± 3.9)
Medicare	8.0	(± 3.2)
Medicaid or Medical Assistance	14.6	(± 4.4)
The military, CHAMPUS, or the VA	3.8	(± 2.0)
The Indian Health Service	1.7	(± 2.5)
Some other source	0.0	(± 0.0)

***Among current and recent former smokers:***

**Within the past year, have you heard about any programs in your community to help you quit using tobacco, such as classes, support groups or counseling services?** n = 115

Yes	43.7%	(± 12.9%)
No	56.3	(± 12.9)

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***Among current and recent former smokers:***

**Within the past year, did your employer offer any stop-smoking class or other programs to help employees quit using tobacco?** n = 70

Yes	12.0%	(± 8.4%)
No	88.0	(± 8.4)

***Among current and recent former smokers with health care coverage:***

**Does your health care insurance coverage pay for the cost of any help to quit using tobacco, such as a stop-smoking program or nicotine patches, pills or other medications?** n = 67

Yes	26.4%	(± 14.5%)
No	40.9	(± 15.0)
Don't know/Not sure	32.7	(± 14.5)

***Among current and recent former smokers:***

**Have you heard about the Washington State "Quit-Line" - a telephone support service to help people quit using tobacco?** n = 114

Yes	42.1%	(± 12.8%)
No	57.9	(± 12.8)

***Among current and recent former smokers who have heard of the "Quit-Line":***

**Would you ever call a telephone support service for help in quitting tobacco?** n = 108

Definitely Yes	15.8%	(± 8.0%)
Probably Yes	21.6	(± 11.8)
Probably No	18.7	(± 9.2)
Definitely No	43.9	(± 13.4)

***Among current and recent former smokers who have heard of the "Quit-Line":***

**Have you called the Quit line?** n = 52

Yes	4.8%	(± 4.7%)
No	95.2	(± 4.7)

***Among current tobacco users:***

**Would you like to quit using tobacco?** n = 115

Yes	70.4%	(± 10.8%)
No	29.6	(± 10.8)

***Among current tobacco users who would like to quit:***

**Are you seriously considering quitting tobacco use within the next 6 months?** n = 78

Yes	88.1%	(± 9.7%)
No	11.9	(± 9.7)

***Among current tobacco users considering quitting within 6 months:***

**Are you planning to stop within the next 30 days?** n = 74

Yes	44.7%	(± 14.8%)
No	47.4	(± 15.5)
Don't know/Not sure	7.9	(± 6.9)

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<b>Are you currently registered to vote?</b>	n = 673	
Yes	41.5%	(± 5.0%)
No	58.5	(± 5.0)

<b>Which of the following statements best describes the rules about smoking in your home. . .</b>	n = 678	
No one is allowed to smoke anywhere inside your home	90.1%	(± 3.0%)
Smoking is allowed at some places or at some times	5.9	(± 2.2)
Smoking is permitted anywhere inside your home	4.0	(± 2.1)

<b>How many people, including you, who live in your household currently smoke cigarettes, cigars, or pipes?</b>	n = 683	
No current smokers in household	75.1%	(± 4.7%)
1	13.5	(± 3.2)
2	6.3	(± 2.6)
3 or more	5.1	(± 3.2)

<b>On how many of the past 30 days has someone, including you, smoked cigarettes, cigars, or pipes anywhere inside your home?</b>	n = 680	
None	90.2%	(± 3.1%)
Less than 30	5.1	(± 2.2)
30 days	4.7	(± 2.3)

<b>If it were just up to you, would you let people smoke inside your home?</b>	n = 682	
Yes	4.6%	(± 2.0%)
No	95.4	(± 2.0)

***Among people who are currently employed for wages:***

<b>When you are at work, do you spend most of your time in an. . .</b>	n = 402	
Office	19.9%	(± 4.8%)
Store	3.8	(± 1.9)
Restaurant or Bar	10.0	(± 4.7)
Warehouse or factory	17.2	(± 4.6)
Home/Someone elses home	7.1	(± 3.1)
Outdoors	29.0	(± 6.6)
Car or truck	2.3	(± 1.5)
Classroom	5.5	(± 2.5)
Hospital	2.5	(± 1.7)
Somewhere else	2.6	(± 1.8)

***Among people who are currently employed for wages:***

<b>Is smoking allowed in any of the following areas at your workplace. . . Some or all indoor work areas?</b>	n = 345	
Yes	13.7%	(± 5.3%)
No	86.3	(± 5.3)

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***Among people who are currently employed for wages:***

**Is smoking allowed in any of the following areas at your workplace. . . Employee lunchrooms or lounges?** n = 338

Yes	11.3%	(± 4.5%)
No	88.7	(± 4.5)

***Among people who are currently employed for wages:***

**Is smoking allowed in any of the following areas at your workplace. . . A different designated indoor smoking area?** n = 343

Yes	11.9%	(± 4.7%)
No	88.1	(± 4.7)

***Among people who are currently employed for wages:***

**In a typical week, how many hours would you say that you are in a room or car with secondhand smoke while you are at work?** n = 389

None	78.6%	(± 6.0%)
Less than one hour	8.9	(± 3.7)
One hour or more	12.5	(± 5.3)

**In general, would you say that breathing secondhand smoke is. . .** n = 671

Not at all annoying to you	10.2%	(± 3.4%)
A little bit annoying	13.6	(± 3.5)
Somewhat annoying	16.8	(± 4.0)
Very annoying to you	59.5	(± 5.1)

**Would you say that breathing secondhand smoke is. . .** n = 667

Not at all harmful	2.7%	(± 1.6%)
A little bit harmful	6.4	(± 3.2)
Somewhat harmful	12.2	(± 3.6)
Very harmful	78.8	(± 4.6)

**All children should be protected from secondhand smoke.** n = 673

Strongly agree	89.4%	(± 3.2%)
Somewhat agree	8.8	(± 3.0)
Somewhat disagree	0.8	(± 0.8)
Strongly disagree	1.1	(± 1.0)

**Do you think that smoking should not be allowed at all in restaurants?** n = 679

Yes	74.5%	(± 4.6%)
No	21.6	(± 4.3)
Don't know/Not sure	3.9	(± 2.0)

**Do you think that smoking should not be allowed in bars and lounges?** n = 673

Yes	44.1%	(± 5.1%)
No	47.5	(± 5.2)
Don't know/Not sure	8.5	(± 2.5)

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<b>Do you think that smoking should not be allowed in outdoor public areas where children may be present?</b>		n = 678
Yes	71.2%	(± 4.7%)
No	26.3	(± 4.6)
Don't know/Not sure	2.5	(± 1.4)

<b>Local law enforcement officials should place a high priority on enforcing laws that ban the possession of tobacco products by minors.</b>		n = 668
Strongly agree	70.2%	(± 4.7%)
Somewhat agree	17.6	(± 4.0)
Somewhat disagree	5.5	(± 2.3)
Strongly disagree	6.7	(± 2.4)

<b>The city or town where you live should establish as many strong rules and laws as possible to protect nonsmokers, including children, from secondhand smoke.</b>		n = 669
Strongly agree	70.6%	(± 4.6%)
Somewhat agree	20.2	(± 4.2)
Somewhat disagree	3.3	(± 1.7)
Strongly disagree	6.0	(± 2.0)

<b>School officials should make sure that all children receive anti-tobacco education.</b>		n = 674
Strongly agree	88.5%	(± 3.3%)
Somewhat agree	9.5	(± 3.2)
Somewhat disagree	0.5	(± 0.5)
Strongly disagree	1.5	(± 1.1)

<b>Tobacco use by adults should not be allowed on school grounds or at any school events.</b>		n = 670
Strongly agree	84.3%	(± 3.8%)
Somewhat agree	9.9	(± 3.2)
Somewhat disagree	2.0	(± 1.5)
Strongly disagree	3.9	(± 1.9)

<b>Have you seen or heard about any efforts or activities in your community or in schools to prevent or reduce tobacco use among youth?</b>		n = 660
Yes	41.7%	(± 5.1%)
No	58.3	(± 5.1)

<b>There are so many things that cause cancer, tobacco use is not going to make any difference.</b>		n = 653
Strongly agree	25.1%	(± 4.2%)
Somewhat agree	13.4	(± 3.7)
Somewhat disagree	6.2	(± 2.2)
Strongly disagree	55.4	(± 5.1)

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<b>Would you ever use or wear something that has a tobacco company logo or picture on it?</b>		n = 654	
Yes	15.9%	(± 4.2%)	
No	84.1	(± 4.2)	

<b>Do you currently have a piece of clothing, or other item that has a tobacco brand or logo on it?</b>		n = 670	
Yes	5.8%	(± 2.9%)	
No	94.2	(± 2.9)	

<b>During the past year, have you received a free sample or coupon for a free sample of cigarettes or other tobacco products?</b>		n = 670	
Yes	9.0%	(± 2.7%)	
No	91.0	(± 2.7)	

<b>During the past year have you been somewhere, such as concert or special event, where tobacco companies were having a promotion - for example, giving away free samples or having a special give-away?</b>		n = 666	
Yes	6.3%	(± 2.7%)	
No	93.7	(± 2.7)	

<b>Tobacco companies should have the same rights to advertise their products as other companies.</b>		n = 628	
Strongly agree	20.5%	(± 4.4%)	
Somewhat agree	21.5	(± 4.2)	
Somewhat disagree	11.5	(± 3.5)	
Strongly disagree	46.5	(± 5.3)	

<b><i>Among people with children ages 12 to 17:</i></b>			
<b>Have you told your child specifically that you do not want him or her to use tobacco?</b>		n = 191	
Yes	88.1%	(± 5.8%)	
No	11.9	(± 5.8)	

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